GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
FINANCE
LOK SABHA

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CBI RAID IN AHMEDABAD AIRPORT
GADDE RAMAMOHAN

Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the CBI has received number of complaints of irregularities against the customs officials posted in Ahmedabad Airport ;

(b) if so, whether the CBI has recently raided the airport ; (

(c) if so, the outcome thereof with the details of customs officials found guilty ; and

(d) the seizure made in the raid ?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI GINGEE N. RAMACHANDRAN)

(a) & (b) Yes, Sir. A check was conducted by CBI on 14.1.2001 at SVP International Airport, Ahmedabad.

(c) CBI has registered a case against four Customs Inspectors.

(d) During the surprise check, the concerned officers were found in possession of cash exceeding the prescribed limit. Besides, Indian and foreign currency and a liquor bottle were found unaccounted which were seized by CBI.